This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1-30.   (canceled)

31.   (Currently amended) A system for expediting security checking, comprising:

an interface for receiving orders for products, services and security clearances
provided by a plurality of merchants and venues, said interface receiving a security clearance
order from a device remote from said plurality of venues, wherein said security clearance
order applies to ~~an interface configured for an individual to order a security clearance the~~ a
venue that is selected from [[a]] said plurality of venues, wherein ordering the security
clearance results in at least a verification of [[the]] an individual's identity; and

a transaction module for routing the verification to a check-point ~~to which the
verification is routed~~, wherein the verification of the individual's identity occurs before the
arrival of the individual at the check-point, and wherein the verification of the individual's
identity before the arrival of the individual enables said check-point to expedite entry into the
venue.

32.   (previously presented) The system according to claim 31, wherein the interface is a
telephone system.

33.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 31, wherein the verification is
confirmed at the check-point by a code obtained by the individual via the interface.

34.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 33, wherein the code is a
random multi-digit code presented by the individual at the check-point.

35.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 31, wherein the verification is
routed to a plurality of check-points, allowing for the security clearance to apply to the
plurality of check-points.

36.   (Currently amended) The system according to claim 31, including at least one
security measure, wherein the at least one security measure includes a security acceptance
rating generator, wherein the generator assess the security risk of the individual.

37.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 36, wherein the generator assess the security risk of the individual based on the individual's personal information.

38.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 36, wherein the generator assess the security risk of the individual based on information provided by at least one third party.

39.   (Currently amended) The system according to claim 31, including at least one security measure, wherein the at least one security measure includes a further verification of the individual's identity in addition to the verification routed to the check-point.

40.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 31, wherein the check-point provides access to a public venue.

41.   (Previously presented) The system according to claim 31, wherein the verification minimizes at least one security measure performed at the check-point once the individual arrives at the check-point.

42.   (Currently amended) A method for streamlining security, comprising:
         receiving a request at an interface for security clearance from a device remote from a venue, said interface operable to receive requests for products, services and security clearances provided by a plurality of merchants and venues;

         assigning a security clearance for a particular venue chosen from a plurality of venues by an individual and transmitting said security clearance to said device remote from said plurality of venues an individual via an interface, wherein the security clearance is based on at least a verification of the individual's identity; and
         receiving routing information related to the verification of the individual's identity [[at]] to a check-point, wherein the verification of the individual's identity occurs before the arrival of the individual at the check-point, and wherein the verification of the individual's identity before the arrival of the individual enables said check-point to expedite entry into the venue.

43.   (Currently amended) The method according to claim 42, wherein <u>said transmitting</u> <u>said security clearance to a device remote from a venue comprises:</u>

   <u>said transmitting said security clearance to a</u> ~~the interface is a~~ telephone ~~system~~.

44.   (Previously presented) The method according to claim 42, wherein the verification is confirmed at the check-point by a code obtained by the individual via the interface.

45.   (Currently amended) The method according to claim 42, wherein the verification <u>of</u> <u>the individual's identity</u> is routed to a plurality of check-points, allowing for the security clearance to apply to the plurality of check-points.

46.   (currently amended) The method according to claim 42, wherein <u>said verification of</u> <u>the individual's identity</u> ~~the at least one security measure~~ includes <u>verifying the individual's</u> <u>identity using</u> a security acceptance rating generator, wherein the generator assess the security risk of the individual.

47.   (Currently amended) The method according to claim 42, wherein the <u>verification of</u> <u>the individual's identity</u> ~~at least one security measure~~ includes <u>routing a request to said</u> <u>check-point to</u> ~~includes a~~ further ~~verification of~~ <u>verify</u> the individual's identity in addition to the verification <u>of the individual's identity</u> ~~received at~~ <u>routed to</u> the check-point.

48.   (Previously presented) The method according to claim 42, wherein the check-point provides access to a public venue.

49.   (Previously presented) The method according to claim 42, wherein the verification minimizes at least one security measure performed at the check-point upon the individual's arrival

50.   (Canceled)

51.   (New) A method for expediting security by providing for the ordering of a product in the form of a security clearance comprising:

receiving from a customer a multi-digit code, wherein said multi-digit code is related to a verification of the customer's identity;

transmitting said multi-digit code to an identity verification system, wherein said multi-digit code was previously given to said customer by said identity verification system after said customer had ordered security clearance for a particular venue from a plurality of venues; and

receiving a confirmation of the customer's identity from said identity verification system, wherein said confirmation is based at least in part on the confirmation of the multi-digit code.